

# ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



*“My soul proclaims the greatness  
of the Lord; my spirit rejoices  
in God my savior.”*

Luke 1:46-47

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Maintenance	Kevin Ford	

## Mass Schedule

Saturday	5:00pm
Sunday	8:00am & 10:30am
Weekdays	8:00am Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri
Wednesday	School Mass at 8:45am
Rosary	before Daily Mass
Holy Days	announced in bulletin
Confession	Saturday 3:30-4:30pm; Wednesday 4:30-5:30pm (or by appointment)
Adoration	Wednesday 9:30am-5:30pm

## Assumption Parish School

Principal—TJ Romano 328-1115

Pre-School—Kindergarten—Grades 1-8

[www.assumptioncatholic.org](http://www.assumptioncatholic.org)

## Sacraments

Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, First Eucharist — Contact the Parish Office

Anointing of the Sick — Contact the Parish Office

Marriage — Contact the Parish Office.

(Diocesan requirements include at least 6 months of marriage preparation)

## Parish Council

Christine Anderson Carolyn McCanna  
Sally Piepel Bob Pringle  
Colleen Spangler Will Terpening  
Bill Watson

## Finance Council

Bill Arnold Greg Hicks  
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Knights of Columbus — Pope St. John XXIII Council #15968

Grand Knight Bill Boniface 720-3488

Catholic Daughters of the Americas Regent—Joy Gilbert 325-234-7706



09/09 Sunday  
 8:00am Catherine Rojan  
 10:30am Brynn Geraghty  
 09/10 Monday Kyle Erwin +  
 09/11 Tuesday  
 09/12 Wednesday John Kiernan, JR +  
 09/13 Thursday Anita Brennan +  
 09/14 Friday Dick & Sharon Fantazier  
 09/15 Saturday Al & Irene Dalsky +  
 09/16 Sunday John Sicilia +  
 Assumption Parish

### PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Would you like to join a prayer shawl ministry group? There will be a group starting Thur, Sept 13, at 6:30pm in the Resource Center. This is a chance to come together and make prayer shawls to offer to parishioners and outside organizations who could use them. Please call Jewel at 879-3048 or email [jewel2all@aol.com](mailto:jewel2all@aol.com) for more information.



Please pray for: Will Terpening, Darlene Daul, Mike Sherick, Manny Aguilar, Arlan Overbust, Peggy Smet, Laurel Reilly, Joyce, Ben Trudeau, Danielle Basta, Joan Hastings, Jan Erickson, Bob Hansen, Barry Hayes, Marlene Bumbeck, Bailey Cooper, Clara Fischer, Stacey Hastings, Susan, Gerrine Njenga, Peg Walsh, Sean, Dick Henrichs, and all who are sick or recovering from surgery. If you have a prayer request for the bulletin, please call Barbara Rice (327-8124) or Kathryn Overland (328-8523).

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 09</b>
8:00am	Mass + Coffee & Donuts
10:30am	Mass + Coffee & Donuts
1:00pm	WOTO (Multi Purpose Room)
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 10</b>
8:00am	Mass
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 11</b>
8:00am	Mass
6:00pm	Youth BBQ (upper field)
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 12</b>
8:45am	Mass with School
9:30am	Adoration
4:30pm	* NO Confessions
5:30pm	* NO Benediction
6:30pm	Back to School Night
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 13</b>
8:00am	Mass
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 14</b>
8:00am	Mass
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 15</b>
7:00am	Men's Bible Study
10:00am	Catholic Daughters
3:30pm	Confession
5:00pm	Mass
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>SEPTEMBER 16</b>
8:00am	Mass + Coffee & Donuts
10:30am	Mass + Coffee & Donuts



September 2, 2018: \$11,029.00 Needy: \$655.00



"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace" (1 Pt 4:10)



September 9, 2018  
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



*Several people* have inquired about activities at Coffee and Doughnuts on Sundays following Masses. In particular, there have been a couple of incidents during the last few months that have created the need to be very specific about the use of the gym. The primary reason for coffee and doughnuts is to offer parishioners the opportunity to socialize with one another and continue to build fellowship outside of Mass. That opportunity is for all parishioners, regardless of age. One of the great challenges, of course, is the fact that it is also a gymnasium and invites greater activity levels among our youth. While there has been unofficial access to balls left out of the storage cabinets, that will no longer be the case. Bouncing basketballs create too much noise for people to be able to have good conversations with one another, and errant bounces have hit unsuspecting parishioners. I understand that it is difficult to supervise every single moment of a child's life, but thank you for understanding the need to keep everyone safe and provide the environment for that growing fellowship in our community.

**PLEASE NOTE**—There will be no confessions or benediction for the next two Wednesdays while Fr. Tim is away on the pilgrimage to Ireland, September 10-21. There are 29 people who will accompany Fr. Tim, with 15 from our parish—please keep them in your prayers!



*May the road rise up to meet you,  
May the wind be always at your back.  
May the sun shine warm on your face,  
And rains fall soft upon your fields.  
And until we meet again,  
May God hold you in the palm of His hand.*



**RCIA** -- All are welcome! If you know of anyone who might be interested in joining the church or completing their sacraments of initiation, please contact the parish office.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION** We will once again be using the online “My Catholic Faith Delivered” program. Please sign up by calling the Parish Office by **Fri, Sep 21**, to enroll your student(s). The “Faith and Life Online Series” offers students in grades 1-8, a thorough grounding in Catholic doctrine. In light of salvation history, students will learn about Sacraments, morality, social teaching, and the Church’s life and mission. All the English texts of the current, *Faith and Life Third Edition* series (by Ignatius Press) have been reviewed by the USCCB's Subcommittee on the Catechism and have been found to be in Conformity with the Catechism of the Catholic Church.

**SACRAMENTAL PREP CLASSES** for students preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation will begin Sunday, Oct 7th—Nov 4, 9-10am in the Multi-Purpose Room. Please call the Parish Office by **Fri, Sep 28** to register so we may order the correct number of books.



**THE ROSARY** is prayed each morning half an hour before Mass. On Wednesday, the Rosary of the Seven Sorrows of Our Lady is now being prayed. All are invited to join in prayer.

**WOTO (Women On Their Own)** will meet this Sunday, Sept 9 at 1:00pm in the Multi-Purpose Room. Open to any woman who may feel on her own for various reasons. This is a great opportunity to gather for a pot-luck lunch, share time and make connections with one another for other events and activities.

**TUESDAY LADIES BIBLE STUDY** will begin meeting on Tue, Sep 25, 9:00am in the Resource Center. New members are welcome—contact Kathryn Overland (328-8523) for more information.

**ASSUMPTION MEN’S BIBLE STUDY** group invites parish men to join them . Come when you can! We meet in the Youth Room at 7am each Saturday. Call Bob Walker (466-4557) or Bob Pringle (326-6138) for more information.

**THURSDAY EVENING LADIES BIBLE STUDY**—meets the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month, 6:30pm in the Resource Center. New members are welcome! Call Carol Normandeau (326-2455)

**CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS** — will meet on Sat, Sept 15, 10am-12:00pm in the Multi-Purpose Room.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS POPE ST. JOHN XXIII COUNCIL #15968** General meetings are held the 3rd Thursday of each month, beginning with the rosary at 5:30pm, followed by the meeting at 6:00pm.

**JR/SR HIGH YOUTH MINISTRY**

Middle School: Tuesdays 6:30-8:30pm in the Gym

High School: Tuesdays 6:30-8:30pm in the Youth Room below the Parish office

**LOST & FOUND** is located on the shelf closest to the ladies restroom in the foyer of the church. There are many items in there that would like to go back to the correct owners.

**YOUTH MINISTRY KICKOFF BBQ**— will be on Tue, Sept 11 on the upper field beginning at 6:00pm. Be sure to bring chairs, blankets, chips, a salad or desert. Brats, buns and bottled water will be provided. The entire family is invited to this event. For more information, please call Shad Galloway (251-1793) for Senior High or Rich Hanson (217-7945) for Junior High.



**CARITAS OUTREACH MINISTRIES**

**Food items needed:** Canned fruit, Chef Boyardee, chili, tomato sauce, crackers, broth, ramen, syrup, peanut butter, canned meat/tuna.

**Necessities:** Laundry soap, can openers, gallon Ziploc bags, toilet paper, paper towels.

Caritas has officially wrapped up the 2018 Summer Meal Kits for Kids program. We distributed kits containing 3,860 individual breakfasts and lunches! 41 families who could not access the school meal sites were able to participate in the Caritas program. This is a 245% jump in service compared to 2016. Special thanks to the churches and individuals who donated child-friendly foods and their times. Bless you for helping us meet this need in NW Spokane. Please continue to pray for these children and families as school begins.

**3rd ANNUAL BISHOP WHITE SEMINARY CENTURY BICYCLE RIDE FUNDRAISER**



Our Assumption Knights, along with St. John Vianney Knights and others will be riding 100 miles on Saturday, Sept; 22nd, to raise funds Bishop White Seminary. Proceeds will go for scholarships and reducing the mortgage on the facility. Knights will be collecting for this event after the Masses on the weekends of Sept 1-2 and Sept 8-9. Your donations will go directly to Bishop White for distribution by Father Daniel Barnett. For more information call Bill Boniface, Grand Knight, (720-3488)



## ASSUMPTION PARISH SCHOOL

TJ Romano, Principal

"Do small things with great love"

**BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT** will be Wed, Sept 12, 6:30pm.

**HAWK WALK** (Annual Fund Run) will be Fri, Sept 28, 1:30-3:00pm. Would you like to sponsor one of our students? Please see the enclosed flyer for more information.

## AROUND THE DIOCESE

**BISHOP DALY** has released a video statement on the ongoing abuse crisis that can be found on the main page of the diocesan website.

**THE SERRA CLUB OF SPOKANE** invites you to come to their next get together, Sat, September 22, 9:00 am in O'Malley Hall at St. Aloysius Church. (O'Malley Hall can be accessed from outside the church and in the back, as it is in the basement). A continental breakfast will be served.

Our speaker is Jeremy Cassidy who will be discussing FOCUS, a campus outreach that pursues college students with intentionality and love. FOCUS invites them into a growing relationship with Jesus and the Catholic faith at a time when 80% of Catholic students leave the church by the time they graduate.

Also, for those who wish, Mass will be offered at Bishop White Seminary at 8:00 am. Questions? Call Steve and Karen Domini, 468-6774.

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES CARING FOR KIDS**—Join us on Thur, Sept 20 from 5-7:00pm at the historic Davenport for a special evening of wine, hors d'oeuvres, and dessert in support of the programs of Catholic Charities and Morning Star Foundation that serve the children in our community. Renowned guest speaker Kent Hoffman will inspire and delight as he encourages us in a path of *Creating Connections* that benefit the children in our lives. Register online at [www.catholiccharitiesspokane.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesspokane.org) or call Sierra 358-4254.

## IMMACULATE HEART RETREAT CENTER

### **SUMMERTIME SPIRITUAL MOMENT** "The Gospel in a Nutshell—a Kernel of Truth"

Fr. Mike Savelesky / Fri, Sept 14, 8:00am-9:30am

Includes Mass, breakfast and conference. No cost to attend. Please RSVP - [www.ihrc.net](http://www.ihrc.net) or call 448-1224 for more information on these and other retreat opportunities.

### **LITURGY OF THE HOURS RETREAT** "Praying with Christ in the Liturgy of the Hours"

Fr. Rory Pitstick / Sept. 14-16, 2018

Please register in advance: (509) 448-1224 or visit [www.ihrc.net](http://www.ihrc.net) \$196 per person/ \$302 couples (includes meals and overnight) \$110 commuters (meals only).

## PARISH LIBRARY

Father Raymond Brown's scholarship and commentary bring to life the community in which the *Epistles of John* were written and applied. This is a new translation for the *Anchor Bible*. Shelved with **New Testament**. See the parish website under **Faith Formation** for open hours, book lists, etc.



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